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SUBJECT: VISIT OF NRC COMMISSIONER VICTOR GILINSKI

1. COMMISSIONER GILINSKI OF THE U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION VISITED OTTAWA ON 24 AND 25 MAY. HE MET WITH P.E. LABERGE, DIRECTOR TC AND E DIVISION OF EXTAFF; WITH ROSS CAMPBELL, CHAIRMAN, JOHN FOSTER, PRESIDENT, ARA MOORADIAN, EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT, AND W. D. CARROTHERS OF AECL; O.J.C. RUNNALLS OF ENERGY, MINES AND RESOURCES; A.T. PRINCE, CHAIRMAN, J.H. JANNEKENS, DIRECTOR OF LICENSING, P.E. HAMEL, DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH AND COORDINATION, AND STAFF OF AECB. HE PLANS TO VISIT PICKERING GENERATING STATION NEAR TORONTO ON 26 MAY, AND WHITESHELL NUCLEAR RESEARCH ESTABLISHMENT NEAR WINNIPEG ON 27 MAY.

2. COMMISSIONER GILINSKI EXPRESSED CONSIDERABLE INTEREST IN THE FOLLOWING, AMONG THE VARIOUS SUBJECTS WHICH WERE DISCUSSED:

A. ADVANTAGES AND DISADVANTAGES OF CANDU-TYPE REACTORS;
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B. PROJECTIONS OF URANIUM RESOURCES;

C. USE OF HEU IN RESEARCH, TEST, AND POWER REACTORS;

D. CONTROLS IN HANDLING AND SHIPPING SPECIAL NUCLEAR MATERIALS;

E. CANADIAN LICENSING STEPS AND PROCEDURES;

F. PHYSICAL SECURITY OF NUCLEAR PLANTS;

G. SAFEGUARDS POLICIES IN EXPORT OF NUCLEAR MATERIALS
AND EQUIPMENT;

H. WASTE MANAGEMENT POLICY AND PROGRAMS, INCLUDING DRY
CANISTER STORAGE OF SPENT FUELS; AND,

I. REACTOR SAFETY AND SAFEGUARDS R AND D PROGRAMS AND
ROLE OF AECB.

3. THE COMMISSIONER STATED THAT CANADA APPEARS TO BE
AHEAD OF U.S. IN SOME OF THESE AREAS AND CLOSER COOPERA-
TION BETWEEN NRC AND AECB SEEMED TO BE IN ORDER. ENDERS

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